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**LAGIMONIER ET AL.**

TITLE: **SYSTEM FOR EFFICIENTLY HANDLING CRYPTOGRAPHIC MESSAGES  
CONTAINING NONCE VALUES**

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**AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 116**

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Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action dated May 8, 2009, please enter the following amendments and remarks in the subject application: